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Notice of Availability - Draft Final Clean Water Act Section 303(d)/305(b) Integrated Report for the Central Valley Region

The Federal Clean Water Act requires states to conduct an assessment of the quality of all their waters (Section 305b) and develop a list of those that are "impaired or threatened" (Section 303d). These two water quality assessment requirements of the Clean Water Act are being addressed in a single Integrated Report. Staff of the Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board) released a public review draft Integrated Report for the Central Valley Region in January 2009. Written comments were due by 16 March 2009 on the public review draft Integrated Report. Written comments received by the comment due date, responses to those written comments, and a draft final Integrated Report, which includes revisions in response to comments received, are now available at

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/water_issues/tmdl/impaired_waters_list/303d_list.shtml

Copies of the draft final Integrated Report on CD can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's office at (916) 464-329, or 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The Central Valley Water Board will hold a public hearing to consider the Integrated Report and proposed revisions to the 303(d) list. The hearing is scheduled for 11-12 June 2009 at Central Valley Water Board Office in Rancho Cordova. Please contact staff two weeks prior to the hearing for the date and a projected time when the matter will be heard. The meeting agenda will be available by June 1 at

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_info/meetings/#2009

At the hearing, the Central Valley Water Board will accept oral comments on the proposed changes to the 303(d) list and Integrated Report but is not soliciting additional information or data. Interested persons may present oral comments to the Central Valley Water Board at the hearing. Oral testimony will be limited in time by the Central Valley Water Board Chair.

Confirmation of the hearing date and time and any questions about the proposed 303(d) list revisions and Integrated Report should be directed to Danny McClure at (916) 464-4751 or dmcclure@waterboards.ca.gov or Josh Grover at (916) 464-4691 or jgrover@waterboards.ca.gov

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